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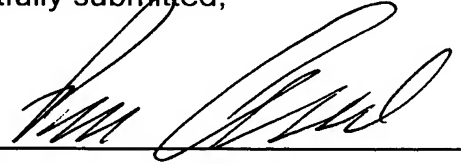
Applicant respectfully requests that the foregoing amendment to claim and new claim 5 be entered prior to examination in order that this application avoid the surcharge for the presence of multiple dependent claims. An early and favorable action on the merits is respectfully requested

Respectfully submitted,

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